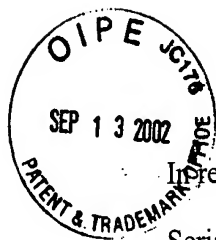


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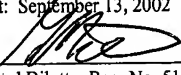
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PETITION FOR FIVE MONTHS EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for Patents under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) to extend the time for filing a response to the Notice to Missing Parts mailed February 15, 2002 for five (5) months i.e., from April 15, 2002 to September 15, 2002. Under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(5) the required fee is \$1,960.00. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **Deposit Account No. 50-0540** for this amount and any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to the above numbered deposit account. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

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